2013 Small-Scale Egg Production in a Range Setting Field Day

September 18, 2013
Piedmont Research Station
8350 Sherrill's Ford Road
Salisbury, NC 28147

8:15 to 9:00 Registration

9:00 am

Welcome and Remarks

Sylvia Blankenship, Associate Director, North Carolina Agricultural Research Service, NC State University

Sandy Stewart, Director, Research Stations Division, NC Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Joe Hampton, Superintendent, Piedmont Research Station, NC Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

9:15 to 9:45 am

Feeding pastured poultry from local or farm-raised ingredients

Anne Fanatico, Goodnight Family Sustainable Development Program, Appalachian State University

9:45 to 10:15 am

Cool season forages to replace fescue on the Poultry Paddock

Sharon Freeman, Dept of Animal Science North Carolina State University

10:15 to 10:30 am

Paddock Density what should it be and how to rotate

Ken Anderson, Poultry Extension Specialist, Poultry Science, North Carolina State University

10:30 to 10:45 am

Break

10:45 to 11:15 am

Egg washing for small flock owners and the legal responsibility for selling less than 30 dozen per week.

Ken Anderson, Poultry Extension Specialist, Poultry Science, North Carolina State University

11:30 to 12:00 am

How to train birds to use nest boxes

12:00 to 1:15 pm

Lunch

1:15 to 1:45 pm

Flock Health in Organic Operations

Donna Carver, Poultry Extension Veterinarian, Poultry Science, North Carolina State University

1:45 to 2:15 pm

Tour a Range Facility Walk in the Range House (Poultry Unit)